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THE TELEGRAPH.

Friday Morning, March 5, 1880.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Spring.
—Blue birds and robins have been here for a week past.
—Now lettuce for sale in town, grown by Mr. Roger Griswold.
—Skating rinks have not been financial successes this winter.
—The hardest worked man in Ashtabula to-day, are house-hunters.
—There was a regular meeting of the Council last Wednesday evening.
—The winter terms of many of the schools in this vicinity have closed.
—Large flocks of plovers were seen flying eastward last Wednesday morning.
—Albert Harmon was asked for a refusal of his Satellite gelding at \$3500, and did refuse.
—Tallman began Thursday to arrange his nets for trout fishing, and expects in a day or two, to have his gill nets out for white fish.
—We noticed a couple of cars on the 5 o'clock train west, on Saturday afternoon last filled with U. S. Soldiers moving toward the setting sun.
—On Monday last a general order, announcing the restoration of the old rates of wages paid to the employees of the L. S. & M. S. Ry., in 1877, was issued.
—The March meeting of the Ashtabula County Educational Society meets on the 20th of March instead of the 18th, at the High School building in Jefferson.
—The members of Protection Company will call on agriculturists, personally in a day or two, with tickets for Prof. Hedley's lectures. It is in a good cause, so be liberal.
—A 6-pound tumor was removed successfully from the breast of a Mrs. Hodge, of Concord, aged 67 years, Thursday of last week, by Dr. Cowles, of Chardon, in fifteen minutes.
—Well, what next? Those fellows at the Hub are now talking about sewerage and sanitary measures. Fastidiousness about health, to be sure! Over on that ancient, cozy mortar bed.
—The East Village cheese factory goes into the hands of Wm. Head of Saybrook, by lease, the coming season. How shall we get along without the cheery presence of Capt. Klump.
—For the benefit of our fishermen it may be said that seine fishing began at Fairport on the 23d ult.—200 pounds of mullet, yellow pike, a few bass and a muscogone were taken—the earliest fishing known.
—Some of our tribe seem to run to length of days. James Reed, of Marion, on the 26th ult., celebrated his 98th birthday. We have not known any centurions in our family yet, but this is coming pretty near to it.
—With such a constant and growing demand for neat and convenient house for rent, it is a mystery to us why our capitalists do not erect more of them. We doubt not that twenty more of them could be erected this spring were they to be procured.
—Mr. T. S. Edwards, formerly of Ashtabula, but now of the firm of Edwards, Bailey & Co., manufacturers of stoves and heating, Carlisle, Mich., in renewing his subscription to the Telegraph, says:
"Three hearty cheers for Steve Northway!"
—A case was brought before Judge Richards on Wednesday morning last, in which John Bolton, living below the L. S. & M. S. station, with cutting timber on property of Jeremiah Howard, died in Saybrook. Bolton was required to recognize the sum of \$75 to appear for trial.
—Mr. G. C. Williams' medical institute opened last Monday according to announcement, with an attendance of 75 scholars. The institute closes next Friday evening with a concert at the opera house. Pupils will still be received. Sessions at four and seven p. m. of each day.
—Persons desiring to become subscribers to the TELEGRAPH should bear in mind that the new and enlarged paper is furnished at the old price of \$2 per annum. It contains more miscellaneous reading matter than ever before and more original local news and regular correspondents than any paper in the county.
—Does advertising in the TELEGRAPH pay? Ask Mr. C. T. McClannan, who for the past three weeks has been advertising in this paper Spring hats, caps and other additions to his large stock of clothing. On Saturday last he sold twelve fine hats besides quantities of other goods, and on other days nearly as much.

—Philip Kline gives up his position as landlord at the J. S. Station and takes possession of his place opposite the McKenzies place. Mr. Waite the occupant, is casting about for other accommodations. Another house is to be erected upon the Kline lot for the accommodation of Philip Kline.
—There was one fatal case of diphtheria in Ashtabula this week, it being that of little Charlie Quinby, grandson of Mr. J. B. Crosby, who died last Wednesday morning after a sickness of only one week. It is a sad blow to the grandfather, whose attachment to the little one was more than that of a father. The funeral takes place at the residence of Mr. Crosby at the 2 o'clock this afternoon.
—The contract for the stone and brick work of the new Geneva sewing machine building, was awarded to Messrs. Brake & McMillan, of Ashtabula, last Tuesday night. The building is to be 36x100 feet, and three stories high, and a brick chimney 70 feet high. Work has already been commenced, and the contract calls for the completion of the work by May 1st. It is estimated that there will be 400,000 brick in the structure.
—Inquiry among our physicians establishes the fact that diphtheria has been spread more or less about town, and some of the cases have been of a rather stubborn character, and followed by a number of deaths among children. Although there still remains a reduced number of cases, and one at least unlikely to recover, the disease has been lessened by the spell of sharper weather that has prevailed for several days.

—A new time schedule of the Ashtabula & Pittsburgh Railroad is being issued from the TELEGRAPH job rooms, to take effect on Sunday of next week. One new passenger train leaving Warren at 3:30 p. m. for Pittsburgh, is announced, and four new freight trains of which are to start from Warren and Girard. There will be no change in the arriving and departing time of passenger trains at Ashtabula. Sup. McVoy is arranging his trains for a heavy freight business for the coming season. The type for the schedule have been entirely reset, necessitating considerable labor and expense, and it will compare favorably in typographical appearance with schedules of the older roads.
—IRVING STROSS, the enterprising carpet merchant of Cleveland, is the first merchant in that city that thinks it worth while to call the attention of the citizens of this section, to his new goods for spring. Finding his store too small for his increasing business, he has recently added over 3,000 square feet of floor which will enable him to show his goods to much better advantage and gives him room for a large increase of stock.
Every style and quality of Carpet from a Hemp to a Moquette, can be found in his stock and his increased facilities ought to give him a large increase of business.
He promises extra inducements to out-of-town customers. At 215 Superior St.
—Died in this village, on Thursday of last week after a lingering and severe illness, Amos C. Hubbard, in the 73rd year of his age.
The deceased—AMOS COLMAN HUBBARD, was a son of the late Col. Matthew Hubbard, and was born in Oneida County, N. Y., in 1807. A notice in the Cleveland Herald, which we draw from, says he reached Ashtabula creek in his mother's arms, on horse back, from Erie, Pa. in the fall of that year, in a rain storm, when the creek was swollen. The crossing of the stream was effected by the swimming of the horses of the party, and the child was protected by being raised above the rushing waters by the effort of the mother. The date of the arrival was among the very earliest of the settlers. He early became a clerk for Mr. George Willard, from whose service he entered that of the county as Clerk of the Common Pleas Court. He was afterwards in the employ of the Lake Shore Co. as station agent. He had a ready hand and heart for the growth and prosperity of the town, and the comfort and well being of his neighbors and friends. He died in the faith and fellowship of the Episcopal church, in charity with all men, as attested by his own dying words.

Facts Worth Thinking About.
Mention has been made various times of a habit tramps have of entering the shell in which Protection Fire Engine is kept, and tampering with the engine. On Wednesday evening at a regular meeting of the company it was discovered that these foot-pads had again entered the room, built a fire in the stove, made coffee and did what cooking they desired, blocked the wheels of the engine and hose cart by placing a rail between the spokes and then left. Had a fire occurred during this time, especially at night, where prompt and quick work would be required to save property, these obstructions would have had to be removed before the apparatus could be moved from the engine house, thus giving a fire, that might be put out under ordinary circumstances with but little loss, a big start, and possibly lay the business part of the town in ashes, and thousands of dollars worth of property swept away in an hour. Should this occur, don't blame the "boys" for being long in getting around. Better take the engine out of the park and throw a canva over it than keep it where it is, it would be much safer than to keep it in the old shed used for a town hall, engine house and station house.

The Fairview Telegraph thinks that a right amount of bull-baiting, could do considerable business between this and the first of April.
—Maples up in that burg have been in blossom for over a week.
—The same authority tells us of a muskrat that had strayed up into the city made an attack upon a citizen by nipping at his legs, and a tussle was begun which continued for a distance of fifteen rods, until he fell in with a dog, who shook the breath out of him.
—On Saturday, March 20, as will be seen by bill printed at this office, A. J. Whipple, administrator on estate of Abram Shears, will sell numerous articles of farm tools, horses, hay, grain, &c.

Where the Lost was Found.
Mrs. Combs is an industrious widow lady, and is happy in the possession of a few hundred dollars. Last Saturday while making some purchases at a Main street store she missed her porte-monnaie containing a check for \$350 and \$125.00 in cash. She examined carefully her pockets and such other places as ladies are likely to carry their money, but with no success. The sympathy of all spectators was touched as she retraced her steps from store to store, with tears in her eyes.
She had about given up the hope of finding it when she felt an unnatural feeling near the centre of her spinal column, which was soon accounted for by the production of the missing pocket-book. She had placed it in her bosom for safety and the "blasted" thing had worked itself out of reach.
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